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FROM USDEL-SWOPE

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SUBJECT: BELGRADE CSCE: TDY SECRETARIES FOR JANUARY-FEBRUARY  
SESSION

1. ANTICIPATE RESUMPTION BELGRADE MEETING O/A JANUARY 16, 1978 THROUGH O/A MARCH 1. USDEL WILL CONTINUE TO REQUIRE SERVICES MINIMUM SIX TDY SECRETARIES TO PROVIDE SUPPORT FOR USDEL OFFICES (TWO AT CHANCERY, TWO AT USIS; TWO AT SAVA CENTER). WHILE WE APPRECIATE DIFFICULTIES IN OBTAINING RELEASES FOR SECRETARIES TO PARTICIPATE IN TDY, STRONGLY URGE THAT ATTEMPTS BE MADE TO ASSIGN SECRETARIES FOR LONGER RATHER THAN SHORTER PERIODS IN ORDER TO PROVIDE CONTINUITY. WHILE A TDYER WHO IS IN BELGRADE FOR TWO WEEKS IS FAR MORE USEFUL THAN NO SECRETARY AT ALL, DEPARTMENT WILL APPRECIATE THAT SPECIALIZED NATURE OF THIS CONFERENCE AND ITS PROCEDURES MAKE IT DIFFICULT FOR NEW SECRETARIES TO BE OF MAXIMUM EFFECTIVENESS DURING THEIR FIRST ONE OR TWO WEEKS. ALSO, AS DEPARTMENT AWARE, USE OF EITHER 14-21 DAY OR 22-45 DAY EXCURSION FARES REPRESENTS SUBSTANTIAL SAVINGS TO USG.

2. ASSUME DEPT HAS ALREADY BEGUN TO RECRUIT TDY SECRETARIES  
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